

st. priscilla church



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RITE OF RECONCILIATION:

Monday through Friday starting at 7:45 A.M. until morning Mass.
Saturday from 3:00 P.M. to 3:45 P.M., or by appointment.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

Registration can be completed by coming into the Rectory during office hours. Monday and Friday 9:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Tuesday through Thursday 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.
Saturday 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. / Sunday 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

WEDDINGS:

Arrangement must be made with one of the priests at least six months before the date of the wedding. Confirm desired date at the church before making other arrangements. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered and active parishioner of St. Priscilla. Weddings are not scheduled on Sunday.

BAPTISMS:

English Baptisms will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Polish Baptisms will be held on the first and third Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Attendance at Baptismal Preparation class is mandatory. Register by calling the Rectory.

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30 A.M. - 12:15 PM
Polish Mass: 10:30 AM - 6:00 PM

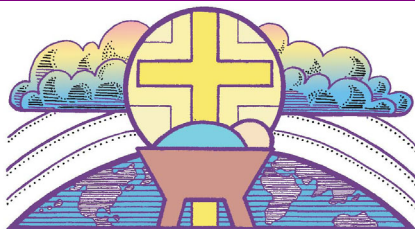
WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday - Saturday: 8:00 AM
Mass in Polish: Wednesday & Saturday 8:30 AM

HOLY DAY MASSES:

7:00 PM Vigil Mass, 8:00—11:00 AM (English)
9:00 AM—7:00 PM (Polish)

Rectory: 6949 W. Addison, Chicago, IL 60634
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The Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2014

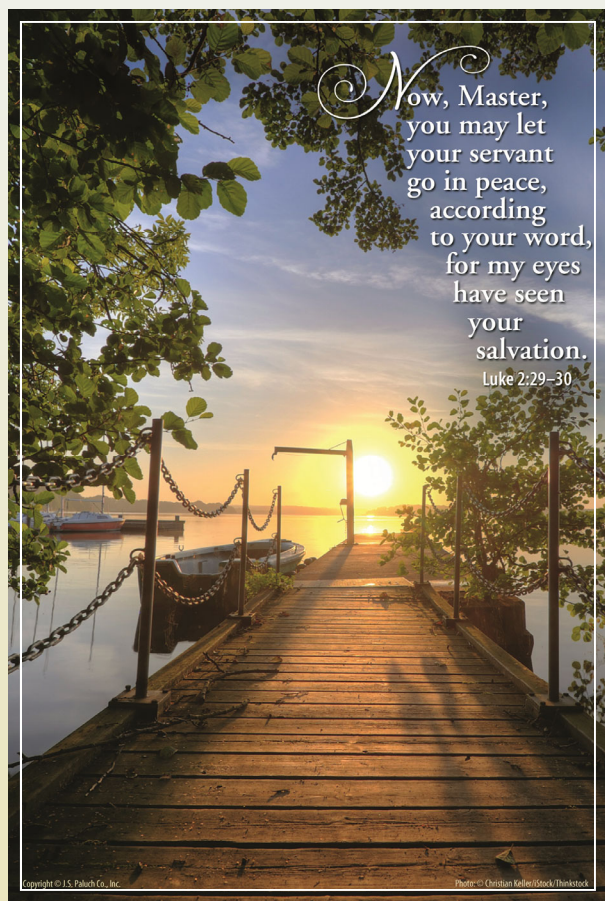
He had to become like his brothers and sisters
in every way.
— Hebrews 2:17a

Reflecting on God's Word

Have you ever noticed how church candles burn? Unlike our candles at home, they leave no wax behind. They slowly get shorter and shorter until they have been completely consumed by the flame. That is because they are made of pure beeswax, which burns hot and bright with all of the wax becoming fuel for the fire.

Today's candle ritual, like the Service of Light at the Easter Vigil, reminds us of the Light of the World that dawned at Christmas. Simeon rightly recognized that Jesus himself would have to become like pure wax. His sacrificial death would fuel the flame that burns brightly as a light of revelation to the Gentiles and glory for Israel.

—Virginia Stillwell



Living God's Word

The pure, hot light that emanates from Christ both reveals and purifies. Like the flames that refine ore into pure gold, Christ's light burns away all that is impure or worthless in those who come close to the flame. The process may be painful and frightening. It may require sacrifice, but we are not alone.

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Eleventh Annual Valentine's Day Dance

The Polish community from St. Priscilla is hosting its Eleventh annual **Valentine's Day Dance**, which will be held on **Saturday, February 15, 2014** at **7:00 PM in McGowan Hall**.

Music will be provided by the "GWIAZDA" band. The ticket price is \$15 and can be purchased at the Parish Office. Drinks and food are not included in the price.

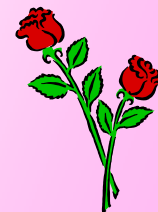
We hope to see you all there!



Jedenasta Zabawa Walentynkowa

Wspólnota polsko-języczna w parafii św. Prysyllii organizuje 11-tą Zabawę Walentynkową, która odbędzie się w dniu **15-go lutego br. o godz. 7:00 wieczorem w sali McGowan pod kościołem**.

Do tańca będzie przygrywać orkiestra **GWIAZDA**. Cena biletów \$15.
Bufet obficie zaopatrzony.



Do miłego zobaczenia!

**THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD (2)**

8:30 — St. Priscilla Parishioners #11

10:30— O bł. Boże dla Ojczyzny i wszystkich Polaków na całym świecie, święte owoce działalności Ligi Katolickiej oraz dusze w Czyśćcu cierpiące
 O Boże bł. i wszelkie potrzebne łaski dla Józefa Kurzątkowskiego z racji urodzin (*Polska Grupa*)
 O zdrowie, Boże bł. i potrzebne łaski dla dzieci Radosława i Roberta (*Rodzice*)
 O zdrowie i potrzebne łaski dla Anny Banaszak (*Kuzynka*)
 O Boże bł. dla Rodziny Haduław (*Rodzina Harmata*)
 W intencji Wiktorii Strzemeckiej o zdrowie i bł. Boże

O radość w wieczności dla:

++Katarzyna i Paweł Dziura (*Tato z rodziną*)
 ++Helena i Lucjan Cackowski (*Córka*)
 ++Victor i Adolf Burzyński (*Hanna*)
 +Dominik Kalinowski (*Żona i dzieci*)
 +Józefa Piotrowska 1 miesiąc po śm. (*Rich i Chris Mizera*)
 +Patrycja Tytrow (*Rodzice*)
 +Maria Kłoczek w rocz. śmierci
 +Jan Kubik w rocz. śmierci
 +Tadeusz Łepkowski w 21 rocz. śmierci (*Rodzina*)
 +Jerzy Kisło w 8-mą rocz. śmierci (*Rodzina*)
 +Leszek Witkowski (*Rodzina*)
 ++Jan i Karolina Grudzien w rocz. urodzin (*Córka z rodz.*)
 +Robert Dynia (*Żona*)
 +Ryszard Mrowiec 5-ty tydzień po śmierci (*Żona*)
 +Jan Chudyba w 10-tą rocz. śmierci (*Córka*)
 +Barbara Machul w 8-mą rocz. śmierci (*Córka*)
 12:15— +Arturo Belluomini Death Anniversary (*Joy*)
 +Filomena Mechel 8th Death Anniversary (*Daughter*)
 +Stefan Koziara 5th Death Anniversary (*Family*)
 ++Helena and Florian Mechel (*Family*)
 ++Katarzyna i Piotr Koziara (*Family*)
 +Kathy Palomino 1st Death Anniversary (*Family*)
 6:00 — Za parafian św. Pryscylli #12

MONDAY (3) Weekday (Fourth Week in Ordinary Time)

8:00 — All Souls in Purgatory #25

TUESDAY (4) Weekday

8:00 — St. Priscilla Parishioners #13

WEDNESDAY (5) Saint Agatha, Virgin and Martyr8:00 — +Francisca Perez Death Anniversary (*Reyes Family*)

8:30 — ++Danuta i Mieczysław Leśniak

THURSDAY (6) Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs8:00 — +Roseanne Sullivan Birthday Remem. (*Patrick Sullivan*)**FIRST FRIDAY (7) Weekday**8:00 — All Poor Souls in Purgatory (*Barcebal Family*)

7:00pm— O Boże bł. dla rodziny

O łaskę nawrócenia i radość w rodzinie

FIRST SATURDAY (8) Weekday

8:00 — EJ and Donna In Thanksgiving Birthday Intention

8:30 — O Boże bł. dla Lydii i Dawida z rodziną (*Rodz. Harmata*)4:00 — +MaryEllen Jacobs (*Hujar Family*)+Daniel G. Manczak (*MaryKay & Tom Livorsi*)+Wally Kane Death Anniversary (*Kane Family*)

Fernando and Pat Abella

Ann Aitken

Joe Bargi

Lorraine Belokon

Jan Drożdż

Nick Grossmayer

Dorothy Heck

Jennifer Hebda

Marian Henaghan

Andrew Jennings

Carrie Kacen

Marie Kane

Janet Kaplan

Maureen Kearney

LaVerne Kmiec

Dolores LaCour

Maria Lech

Peter Leyden

Joseph LoPiccolo

Mary Lund

Mary Lynch

Michael Manczko

Barbara McDonald

Mike Muka

Antoni Nierzejewski

Carol Niewinski

Henry Orry

Marge Reavis

Augusto Sandoval

Norbert Schultz

Gina Swensen

Roger Vlasos

Jola Wolfe

Katie Young

Carla and Adam

If you would like to have a name added or removed from our Parish "Pray For..." sick list, please call the rectory at 773-545-8840 ext. 221. Thank you!



Julia Mikina



St. Priscilla Holy Name Society will celebrate their monthly meeting on **Sunday, February 9, 2014**

All members please attend the 8:30 AM Mass with wives and widows of former members. After the Mass please go to the lower level of the Church Office (Rectory) for a meeting.

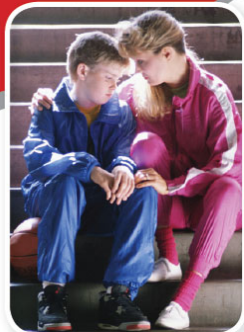
**January 19, 2014****Currency** \$ 3,925.00**Checks** \$ 2,110.00**Loose Coin** \$ 0.00**Total** \$ 6,035.00**Weekly Goal** \$ 7,500.00**Budget Year to Date** \$217,500.00**Collections Year to Date** \$184,857.96**Under Budget** \$<32,642.04>

Thank you for your generosity and support of our Parish.



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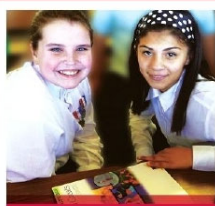
When my daughters were little, we had a ritual every evening to put away their toys. They'd scurry around, gather up their items, and bring them to me where I knelt beside the toy box. As they'd bring each beloved plaything, I'd open the lid, and we'd each say, "Good night, block," or "Good night, Noah's ark," and then they'd place that toy in the box. This ritual was a way of helping them wind down while bringing the evening to a close. Endings matter in a family—even the end of an ordinary day. They deserve a bit of care. Small endings handled well prepare our children for bigger endings, such as friends moving, getting cut from a team, or losing a loved pet or family member. Pay attention to endings, and give them their due. —Tom McGrath

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Archdiocese of Chicago Board of Catholic Schools

Strategic Plan for Catholic Schools

2013-2016

Overall goal: to increase Catholic school enrollment and provide every student desiring Catholic education with excellent academics and strong faith formation in an economically sustainable way. This plan addresses six core goals for the Catholic school system: Catholicity, Academics, Leadership, Operations, Office of Catholic Schools (OCS) Reorganization, and Funding.

Core Goal: Catholicity

1. Enhance the religion curriculum to foster students' faith formation and grounding in Catholic virtues.
2. Ensure strong faith formation for teachers.
3. Engage in outreach to school families.

Read the full Strategic Plan: <http://bit.ly/ChiCathSchoolStratPlan>



2014 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL CONTINUES *"You are the temple of God" (1 Corinthians 3:16)*

Many of you have responded to the Annual Catholic Appeal mailing from Cardinal George. On behalf of those served by the ministries and services funded by the ACA, we thank you for your gifts. If you received the mailing and have not responded, please do so as soon as possible.

In addition to providing for ministries and services throughout the Archdiocese, the Appeal also funds services that are of great help to ministries here in our parish.

This year, the theme of the Appeal is: **"You are the temple of God"**. In his first letter to the Corinthians Paul instructs that each of us is a temple of God. God lives within us and He asks us to share our gifts with others.

As we contemplate His gifts to us, we should also reflect on our gratitude for these gifts. Your financial support for the work of our parish, our Archdiocese and the Church throughout the world is, in fact, one way to express this gratitude. Please give generously to the 2014 Annual Catholic Appeal.

When our parish reaches its goal of \$ 25,885.00 in paid pledges, 100% of the additional funds received will be returned to us for use in our parish.

ROZPOCZYNA SIĘ DOROCZNA KWESTA KATOLICKA 2014 *„Jesteście świątynią Boga” (1 Kor 3:16)*

Pragniemy podziękować tym wszystkim, którzy już odpowiedzieli na otrzymany list od kardynała Georga o wsparcie Kwesty Katolickiej. W imieniu wszystkich, którzy otrzymują pomoc poprzez posługę i duszpasterstwa wspierane przez Doroczną Kwestę Katolicką, dziękujemy za Wasze dary.

Jeśli do tej pory nie odpowiedziałeś na przesłaną korespondencję, prosimy uczynić to jak najszybciej.

Poza wsparciem jakie otrzymują duszpasterstwa i programy w całej Archidiecezji, Kwesta Katolicka wspiera dodatkowo posługi, które służą pomocą duszpasterstwu w naszej parafii.

W tym roku, motywem przewodnim jest zdanie „Jesteście świątynią Boga!”. Jesteśmy żyjącymi świątyniami Boga przynosząc prawdziwą obecność temu światu. Bóg nawołuje nas byśmy dzielili swoje dary z innymi. Rozmyślając nad darami, które otrzymaliśmy od Boga, powinniśmy równocześnie zastanowić nad wdzięcznością za wszystko czym do tej pory zostaliśmy obdarzeni. Dary, które składamy na rzecz naszej parafii, archidiecezji i Kościoła na całym świecie są jedną z możliwości wyrażenia naszej wdzięczności. Prosimy o hojne wsparcie Kwesty Katolickiej 2014.

Po uzyskaniu docelowej kwoty w wysokości \$ 25,885.00 w postaci zrealizowanych zobowiązań 100% zebranych w ten sposób środków, zostanie zwrócona nam, do wykorzystania na niezbędne cele w naszej parafii.



St. Priscilla Choir Party

Tuesday, January 21st, 2014



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Zakończenia



Kiedy moje córki były małe, każdego wieczoru mieliśmy rytuał sprzątania zabawek. Krzątały się zbierając poszczególne ich części, przynosiły je do mnie, a ja klęczałem koło pudła, w którym składaliśmy zabawki. Podchodziły ze swoimi ulubionymi skarbami, otwierałem wieko i mówiliśmy: „Dobranoc klocku” albo: „Dobranoc Arko Noego” i kładły zabawki na dnie skrzyni. Ten rytuał służył wyciszeniu ich, gdy wieczór się kończył.

Zakończania są ważne dla rodzin – nawet zakończenia zwykłych dni. Zasługują one na chwilę uwagi. Zamknięcia małych rzeczy przygotowują nasze dzieci do zakończeń większego formatu, takich jak przeprowadzka przyjaciół, odejście z drużyny, czy utrata członka rodziny lub ukochanego psa. Zwracaj uwagę na zakończenie, zrób dla nich miejsce i znajdź na nie czas. —Tom McGrath

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB



Our February meeting scheduled for February 4th has been cancelled due to the bad weather.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting on **March 4th at 1:00 pm** in the Round Room.

Save the Date: SPRING LUNCHEON - April 30th, 2014
Elmcrest Banquets. More information at our next meeting.



MOSTACCIOLI DINNER

SAVE THE DATE: St. Priscilla Boy Scout Troop 803 will be holding their Mostaccioli Dinner on Saturday, March 1st from 4:30 to 8:00 pm in McGowan Hall below the church.

Harczerze Zastęp 803 zapraszają na Obiad Kuchni Włoskiej w Sobotę, 1 Marca od 4:30 do 8:00 wieczorem w Sali McGowan pod kościołem.

CAPITAL RENOVATION COLLECTION

Without all of your help throughout the past few years that we have had this special collection, there are many projects that would not be possible at our parish. Your support is the energy that keeps St. Priscilla vibrant! Thank you so much for your generous donations!

The donations reported in today's bulletin are from January's Capital Improvement Collection.

- \$200**— Casey Czochara
\$75— Richard Zyszczyński
\$60— Eugene Emil Warta
\$50— Władysław Bielen, Eunhi Kim, Adam Kokot, Julian Kowalczyk, Bogusław Krol, Edward Lowery, Sophie and Anna Oracz, Melvin Spejcher, Kazimierz Tokarski, Teresito Villegas, Marion Ward
\$40— Evelyn Cademartrie, Antoni Lipka-Chudzik Emily Sloan, Duane & Zofia Wendolowski
\$30— Anonymous, Philomena Phyllis Greco, Leroy Grochocki, Richard Hujar, Janina Kwasnik, Zbigniew Kwasnik, Olivia Pamatmat, Manuel Reyes
\$25— Anonymous, Anonymous, Anonymous, Anonymous, Anonymous, Betty Cullen, Nadine Czekaj, Robert Drzewiecki, John Masters, James Miketta, Peter O'Grady, Concetta Serio, James Warrender, Chester Wijas
\$20— Wiesław Adamowski, Nicholas Alleva, Carlito Avanzaro, William Balog, Anna Bartolon, Edward Connolly Sr., Kazimierz Czarnota, Edward Czerwinski, Michael Depasquale, Kaspar Doppel, Denise DuPlantis, Karen Engel, Rosemary Ferrier, Frank Firlotte, Patrick Haugh, Waclaw Hryniewicz, Elsie Hum, Lech Izbecki, Bennet Klauba, Jan Kocon, Danuta Kowal, Jozef Lata, Jan Lesniak, Julian Malkiewicz, Władysław Molek, Salvatore Morreale, Mary Parent, Stanisław Piotrowski, Halina Samolyk, Antoinette Sanders, Donald Schultz, Edwin Schultz, Ryszard Snopko, Krzysztof Soltyszewski, Marcin Stepek, Zbigniew Stepek, Krystyna Swiderski, Zbigniew Sycz, Barbara Taschler, Gene Urban, Leonard Wronke
\$18— Andrew Gaweda
\$15— Michael Busse Jr., Antoinette Kapusta, Zygmunt Kosobudzki, Sylwester Kumor, Frank Mizera, Krzysztof Plaza, James West
\$10— Henryk Badzioch, Rosalie battaglia, Michael Beirne, Geraldine Bobula, Janina Bury, Kenneth Chrusciel, Wojciech Chudzik, Jan Cioch, Stanley Cmiel, Yolanda Colletti, Mario Dayag, Carol Dombek, Anthony Felau, Linda Felau, Jack Ferina, Malgorzata Gajda, Anna Galas, Evelyn Gale, Krzysztof Glowinski, Andrzej Gorski, Arkadiusz Gwozdz, Artur Hryniewicki, Marian Janowski, Tadeusz Jaworecki, Krzysztof Kadzielawa, Virginia Knight, Lerow Knowles, John Koziara, Stephanie Koziara, Grzegorz Kraus, Zuzanna Krupa, Joyce Kucharski, Jozef Kurzatkowski, Roy Lacour, Stefan Lech, Nancy Lee, Joseph Lopicolo, John Mescall, Władysław Mikina, Jozef Mikos, Lillian Miller, Jan Mroczek, Wiesław Mroczkowski, Adam Niewiadomski, Adam Niminski, Patricia Novey, Andrzej Ostojki, Stanisław Parczewski, Antoinette Pusateri, Florence Pytko, Frank Reckmann, Michael Rife, Jozeph Santelli, John Santoro, Gina Severino, Victoria Słowiak, Kazimiera Sopek, Jeffrey Stanek, Antoni Stanula, Richard Tomal, Helen Toporek, Lucjana Wilczewska, Janusz Zaborowski, Steven Zachar, Jan Zbroja, Mieczysław Ziobro
\$8— Tadeusz Sutowski
\$6— Kopacz and Mroczek, John Nardi
\$5— Janice Arnet, George Barkhou, Javier Benitez, Guillermo Bermudez, Anne Biggins, Piotr Bradlinski, Krzysztof Bryk, Maria Burek, Adolf Burzynski, Salvatore Cavallaro, Tadeusz Chwala, Pedro Cuison, Jerzy Czarnik, Anthony Czerwinski, Joseph Day Jr., Michael De Simone, Eugenia Denisiuk, Rodolfo Digal, Michael Dreksler, Stefania Drzymala, William Duffy Jr., Angela Fenn, Thomas Gilleran, Halina Gwiazdowski, Mary Gorny, Alina Grzegorzczak, Gerardo Gutierrez, Jan Hapunik, Dany Helwink, Carol Hoffman, Ewa Jamrog, Stanley Joswiak, Iza Juzkiewicz, Antoni Kapustka, Michele Kolak, Marek Kowalczyk, Stanley and Genowefa Koziol, Jesse Kulaga, Dolores Lavalley, Zdzisław Lech, Joann Maass, Grzegorz Magdanski, Alexander Masiewicz, Jose Mejia, Teresa Mendys, Piotr Modla, Helen Mueller, Giles Nabor, Radosław Nowak, Renato Nucup, Andrzej Oleksy, Wiesław Olszewski, Marian Prazuch, Czesław Prorok, Edward Radziszewski, Lorrie Rife, Wojciech Romanowski, Christine Sherrod, Stanisław Slonina, Stephen Sodergren, Stanisław Tolwinski, Henryka Turczynska, Richard Vana, Jose Viraj, Witold Wasilewski, Jan Wawioro, Jozef Wieczorek, Helena Wincenciuk, Theresa Yuza, Tadeusz Zalewski, Stanisław Zuber
\$4— Mary Kossowski
\$3— Eloise Biglete, Joseph Catanzaro, Wojciech Proszek, Jean Ribaud, Steve Sobieraj
\$2— Angela Hernandez, Rose Sardena-Soto, Christine Zarek
\$1— Angela Arnet, Radosław Lapinski

The total was **\$4,336.00**. I thank you all again!

- Fr. Idzi Stacherczak, Pastor -

PLEASE REMEMBER

Friday, February 7, is the **First Friday of the month**. Please remember to pray in a special way to the Blessed Sacrament. Also, please remember that we have all-day adoration beginning after the 8:00 A.M. Mass.

Prosimy pamiętać, że w najbliższy piątek przypada **Pierwszy Piątek miesiąca**. Zapraszamy wszystkich do naszej świątyni na adorację Najświętszego Sakramentu, oraz na Mszę św. o godz. 7-mej wieczorem.

